

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 29 MARCH 54

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ROUTING	
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TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : GUATEMALA

ACTION: WH (1-3)

INFO : DGI (4), D/DGI (5), DD/P (L) (6)

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GUAT 267 (IN 31987)

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ROUTINE

PRECEDENCE

TO: SLINC

INFO: DIR

CITE: SCUAT

PBSUCCESS RYBAT

ESCOBILLA INFORMED RAZMARA 27 MARCH OPPOSITION STRENGTH SERIOUSLY THREATENED BY NEW GOVERNMENT PRESSURE. CLAIMS 150 OPPOSITIONISTS IN JAIL. UNLESS ACTION COMES SOON BACKBONE OF RESISTANCE WILL BE BROKEN BECAUSE KEY PERSONS WILL BE JAILED OR EXILED. CLAIMS ARMY OFFICERS SYMPATHETIC TO MOVEMENT HAVE PERFORMED ASSIGNED TASKS THAT MAY BE REVEALED IF ACTION DELAYED. CLAIMS SOME OFFICERS THREATENING WITHDRAW FROM MOVEMENT, OTHERS BELIEVE THEMSELVES DANGEROUSLY EXPOSED BY THEIR ACTIONS IN BEHALF OF MOVEMENT AND BETRAYED BY CALLIGERIS FAILURE TO ACT.

END OF MESSAGE

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